

## ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. Editor:—Please announce the name of JOHN KUHN as a candidate for the office of Probate Judge, subject to the decision of the democratic popular vote, and oblige.

His Friends.

Mr. Editor:—Please announce the name of ANDREW J. TAYLOR as a candidate for the office of Probate Judge, subject to the decision of the democratic popular vote, and oblige.

MANY DEMOCRATS.

EDITOR VENTURE:—Please announce the name of JOHN E. CREIGHTON, as a candidate for the office of Probate Judge, subject to the decision of the democratic popular vote, to be held in the different townships on the 30th inst.

DEMOCRACY.

Columbus Grove, Sept. 13, 1854.

Independent Candidate.

Mr. Editor:—Announce the name of NATHAN SMITH, as a candidate for County Treasurer, at the next Election, subject to the decision of the People.

July 19, 1854. 693-5w

KALIDA, Sept. 4th, 1854.

To the Chairman of the Putnam Co. Dem. Con. Com.

Sir:—Since my nomination as a candidate for re-election to the office of Probate Judge of Putnam county, circumstances have occurred which would render it impossible for me to attend to the duties of said office, should I be elected. Thankful to the Democracy for the favor which they have conferred upon me, I hereby respectfully decline being a candidate for re-election.

I remain, Sir,

Very truly your friend,

JOHN DIXON.

The Democracy of Putnam County are requested to meet at the usual places of holding elections in their several townships, on Saturday, the 30th day of September, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and four o'clock, P. M., of said day, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Probate Judge, to fill the vacancy occasioned by John Dixon declining to be a candidate for re-election.

The Committee submit the following resolution of previous Committees of the party, to wit:

"Resolved, That the Central Committee shall appoint one Judge in each township, and one alternate Judge, to serve in his absence, at each nominating poll take in each township."

In compliance with the above resolution, the Committee have appointed the following named persons, to wit:

Monroe—William Burns, Daniel Burns, Perry—Seneca Dunckley, Silas McClellan.

Monterey—Charles Harmon, William Rickett.

Jackson—Phillip Anderson, David Carr.

Jennings—William H. Harris, Sigmond Rickett.

Sugar Creek—L. Storer, E. A. Henson.

Union—Robert Douglas, Nelson McCracken.

Greensburgh—John P. Simons, Levi Grove.

Liberty—A. T. Prontice, A. S. Pritchard.

Ottawa—Theodore Osage, Herman H. Rickett.

Pleasant—Jacob Byers, Allen Edmonds.

Riley—Henry Blosser, Robert Stuart.

Blanchard—William McClure, William Young.

Van Buren—John Leffler, Peter Bowman.

The Convention of three delegates from each township, for the purpose of counting the votes, &c., will meet at the Court House in Kalida, on Monday, the 24 day of October next, at one o'clock, P. M.

JOHN MONROE,

Chairman Dem. Cen. Com.

V. B. PALMER, at New York, Boston, and Philadelphia, is out only agent in these cities for advertising and subscription purposes. All arrangements made with him, on our account will be treated as if made directly with this office.

KALIDA MARKET—Aug. 17.

Flour, per barrel.....\$10 00 a 00

Corn Meal, per bushel.....40 a 50

Wheat, per bushel.....33 a 37

Oats.....23 a 25

Corn.....23 a 25

Rye.....23 a 25

Apples, dried.....1 25 a 00

do green.....50 a 00

Peaches, dried.....2 00 a 00

Crabapples.....25 a 00

Butter, Sole, per pound.....25 a 00

Hides, dry.....10 a 00

do green.....5 a 00

Beef, per lb.....5 a 6

Hogs, or Goat.....9 00 a 10 00

Port, Prime.....a

do Mess, per barrel.....a

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Hams, per pound.....7 a 8

Lard.....64 a 0

Butter.....8 a 0

Cheese.....15 a 12

Honey, per gallon.....75 a 00

Beans, white, bushel.....50 a 00

Peas, per bushel.....64 a 0

Clover Seed, per bushel.....25 a 00

Timothy.....50 a 00

Candies, Mould, per pound.....3 18 a 00

Sugar, N. O., per pound.....6 a 7

do Maple.....a

Molasses, per gallon.....40 a 75

Coffee.....14 a 00

Wool, per pound.....31 a 00

Feathers, per pound.....30 a 23

Beeswax, per pound.....20 a 25

Tallow, per pound.....10 a 00

Salt, per bbl.....2 25 a 00

Whiskey, per gallon.....50 a 75

PERHAM'S GREAT GIFT ENTERPRISE.—Notwithstanding the thousand and one reports to the contrary, this great enterprise, we see, has been flourishing like a green bay tree. In the present issue we publish the proceedings of the Shareholders, in Mass Meeting, held on the 27th of July. They are of the most interesting character, and will repay a careful perusal. Mr. Perham's card, also should claim the attention of all, being liberal in the extreme, and containing full and sure the sale of the remaining tickets in a very limited time. Send in orders for tickets without delay, and thus hasten the desired consummation of the enterprise.

## SWAMP LANDS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Sealed Proposals will be received at the Auditor's Office, in Kalida, Putnam county, Ohio, under an act passed by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, on the 24 day of March, A. D. 1853, until the 23 day of October, 1854, for ditching Swamp Lands in town two north range six east (North Greensburg) a description of which lands, with the appraised value thereof, as heretofore given; payment for this ditching is to be made in these swamp lands, to be made in the following manner: The ditching on the north-east bank of Powell's Creek, at a stake near a large pin oak, and a small bar oak, both of which are conspicuously marked, being in section 33, town 2 north, range six east—thence north 81 deg. east 97.60-100 rods—thence east on the section line and a half mile to the north-east corner of section 34, town 2 north, range six east, and thence to be six feet wide at the bottom, and four feet at the top, and a half mile deep. The whole ditching to be divided into four sections as follows: No. 1, from the stake on the bank of Powell's Creek, as above described—thence north 81 deg. east 97.60-100 rods; No. 2, commencing at the N. W. corner of the N. E. quarter of section 33—thence east on the section line one half mile; No. 3, commencing at the N. W. corner of section 34—thence east one half mile; No. 4, commencing at the N. W. corner of the N. E. quarter of section 34—thence east one half mile. Proposals must be made for each section separately. On the 23 day of October the proposals received will be opened by the Commissioners and Auditor, and the contract or contracts awarded to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, unless all proposals received should be considered unreasonably high; who will be then and there required to give bond with security to the satisfaction of said Commissioners, conditioned for the faithful performance of his or their contract within two years from the date thereof. The Contractor completing his contract first and having the same accepted by the Commissioners, will be entitled to the first choice of these lands.

## DESCRIPTION OF SWAMP LANDS.

Range	Town	Section	What Part	Acres	Appraised Value
6 E	2 N	27	west half	320	\$400
"	"	28	south east q.	160	260
"	"	33	north east q.	160	180
"	"	33	south east q.	160	180
"	"	34	south half	320	400
"	"	34	north half	320	320

JOHN MONROE, Auditor.

Auditor's Office, Putnam Co., O., September 20, 1854.

Samuel Conklin, Sen., Guardian of Joel Smith, vs. Probate Court Putnam County.

Joel Smith, his said ward, Harriet Smith and Hannah Smith, minors, and Samuel Conklin, Jun., their Guardian.

Petition to sell Land.

Said Defendants are hereby notified, that Samuel Conklin, Sen., guardian of said Joel Smith, has filed in said Court, his petition, praying for an order to sell the following Real Estate, situate in Putnam county, in the State of Ohio, to wit: The east half of the south east quarter of section number thirty-three, town one south, range six east, containing eighty acres of land, more or less, and the south west quarter of the south west quarter of section number thirty-four, in township one south range six east, containing forty acres of land, more or less. Said petition will be for hearing on the thirtieth day of October, A. D. 1854.

By A. BUDD, Atty for petitioner.

September 18, A. D. 1854. 702

## ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

At my instance an Attachment was this day issued by John Horner, a Justice of the Peace of Liberty township, Putnam county, Ohio, against the property and effects of Jerry S. Tibbets, an absconding debtor. The amount of indebtedness is \$146 00. Writ returned September 6, A. D. 1854, and cause adjourned to October 18th, 1854, at 1 o'clock, P. M.

T. J. McKnight.

September 1st, 1854. 702

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

Acton & Woodard vs. F. F. A.

Jonathan Lee, by virtue of a fi. fa. to me directed from the Court of Common Pleas, of Putnam County, Ohio, I will offer for sale at the door of the court house in Kalida, Putnam county Ohio.

Taken as the property of Jonathan Lee, to satisfy an execution in favor of Acton & Woodard.

JOHN B. FRUCHEY, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Kalida, Putnam Co., O., Sept. 14, 1854.

between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. of said day, the following described real estate to wit:

In Lot one hundred and one in the Town of Ot. town, Putnam county, Ohio.

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## PERHAM'S 100,000 GIFTS.

Official Proceedings of the Share Holders in Perham's Third Gift Enterprise, in Mass Meeting, held at Academy Hall, 663 Broadway, New York, on Thursday evening, July 27th, 1854.

At 8 o'clock the meeting was called to order by Dr. Hall, when B. S. Adams, Esq., was nominated and unanimously elected Chairman; and Robert Beatty, Jr., Esq., appointed Secretary.

The first business in order being the selection of a Committee of five persons to receive and disburse of the Gift Property, it was on motion Resolved, that we now proceed to the nomination and election.

The election being gone into, resulted in the choice of the following named gentlemen:

ROBERT BEATTY, Jr., J. LATHROP, IRA BUCKMAN, Jr., B. S. ADAMS, H. P. BARKER.

Justice Lathrop offered the following Resolution:

Resolved—That the Committee have power to fill vacancies, from a neglect to serve or to fulfil the requirements of a member.—Carried.

The Secretary then read the following:

Resolved—That the Committee be authorized to receive from Mr. Perham the Gift Property, or take from him bonds for its delivery as a deed for, and hold the same in trust for the Shareholders.—Carried.

On inquiry, it was ascertained that Mr. Perham had sold about 46,000 out of the 100,000 Gift Tickets; when the following resolutions were offered and unanimously adopted:

Resolved—That so soon as it is ascertained that \$50,000 of the Gift Tickets issued by Mr. Perham in his third enterprise are sold, the committee shall call the Shareholders together at the most convenient place, for the purpose of instructing said Committee in regard to the manner of disposing of the Gift Property, amongst those holding Share Tickets.

Resolved—That in order to close the enterprise at the earliest possible moment, this meeting recommend all persons now holding Share Tickets, to use their influence in obtaining subscriptions and advance the interest of the whole body.

On motion, adjourned.

Attest: B. S. ADAMS, Ch'n.

ROBERT BEATTY, Jr. Secretary.

MR. PERHAM'S CARD.

Accompanying you have submitted the official proceedings of the Share Holders in Mass Meeting, convened on the evening of the 27th inst., for the purpose of selecting a Committee, and taking into consideration other matters affecting the interests of all ticket holders in my third Gift Enterprise.

It will be seen that a Committee have been appointed, and instructions given them as to the course to be pursued up to a certain stage of progression in the enterprise. For the information of absent share holders, I here leave to state, that the number of tickets sold up to the present time is about 46,000. From this you will perceive, that so soon as 34,000 more are sold, they will advise the whole body of shareholders of the fact, and ask of them, in general meeting assembled for the purpose, instructions as to the final disposition of the Gift Property, with which they are intrusted.

That these 34,000 tickets may be sold in the shortest possible time, the undersigned makes the following propositions, unequalled for liberality:

Each person who gets up a club of ten subscribers, and forwards (10) ten dollars to this office, will receive by return mail or other conveyances, eleven tickets.

Each person who sends (at one time) one hundred dollars, will have sent in like manner, One Hundred and Fifteen tickets.

Each person who shall send (at one time) five hundred dollars, will have sent in like manner, Six Hundred tickets.

And for all larger sums in exact proportion.

It is thus, ladies and gentlemen, that I hope to secure your hearty co-operation in bringing this enterprise to a speedy, and I hope to all, a satisfactory termination.

With great considerations of respect, I remain yours, obediently,

J. PERHAM.

July 28th, 1854.

100,000 TICKETS ONLY AT \$1.00 EACH WILL BE SOLD.

All Orders for Tickets, by Mail, should be addressed to:

JOSIAH PERHAM, Academy Hall, 663 Broadway, N. Y.

If it should happen that all the Tickets are sold when the order is received, money will be returned at our expense for postage. Correspondents will please write distinctly their names, residence, County and State, to prevent errors. Or if convenient, enclose an envelope with their directions on it in full—in which such Tickets as they may order will be returned.

PROBATE COURT ROOM, PUTNAM CO., O., September 9, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given that Christian M. Norman, late of Putnam county, Ohio, deceased, on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1854, filed his accounts as administrator for partial settlement; and that said accounts will be for hearing October 14, 1854.

JOHN DIXON, Probate Judge.

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## SHERIFF'S PROCLAMATION.

PROCLAMATION is hereby made to all the qualified voters of Putnam county, State of Ohio, that a General Election will be held, as required by law.

On Tuesday, October 10th, A. D. 1854, at the general places of holding elections in said county, at which time the following officers are to be chosen, viz:

One Congressman; one Judge of the Supreme Court; one Member of the Board of Public Works; one Probate Judge of the County; one Treasurer of the County; one Auditor of the County; one Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas; one Commissioner of the county.

The Trustees of the several Townships are required to return the following number of Jurors, to the Clerk of the Court of common pleas, from their respective townships, to wit:

Blanchard 12 Union township, 8

Blanchard 12 Greenburg 10

Van Buren 2 Perry 4

Liberty 6 Jackson 4

Ottawa 17 Jennings 6

Sugar Creek 8 Monterey 3

Pleasant 10

And also